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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Appln. of: Ricky R. Ruschke et al.

Appln. No.: 10/559,992

Filed: December 7, 2005

For: FLUID HANDLING DEVICE AND METHOD  
OF MAKING SAME

Attorney Docket No: 396/470

Examiner: John K. Fristoe, Jr.

Group Art Unit: 3753

Confirmation No.: 6437

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**TRANSMITTAL**

Sir:

**Attached is/are:**

Amendment (12 pgs)

**Fee calculation:**

No additional fee is required.

Small Entity.

An extension fee in an amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ for a \_\_\_\_\_-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(\_\_\_\_\_.)

An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity		Not a Small Entity		
				Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total	59	Minus	124	0	x \$25=		x \$50=	0
Indep..	3	Minus	20	0	x 100=		x \$200=	0
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$180=		+\$360=	
				Total	\$	Total	\$0	

**Fee payment:**

A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_

Payment by credit card in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ (Form PTO-2038 is attached).

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,

August 14, 2008

Date

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